Texas Tech University HSC El Paso

El Paso, TX



Why TTUHSC El Paso?

We work at a true county hospital, located less than two miles away from Mexico. The geographic location is incredible, both from an outdoor enthusiast and medical practice point of view. We are the only Level 1 Trauma Center in a large radius, with a catchment area and variety in pathology unlike any other program. Our residents gain significant exposure to a completely different type of medicine that is practiced across the border. This further expands their EM tool belt and enhances their ability to develop medical Spanish.

Contacts

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Program Director

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Important Facts

Rotations include:

 2 week rural EM experience in Artesia, NM during PGY-2 & 3

Pediatrics experience:

 Longitudinal experiences and dedicated one month pediatrics rotations during both PGY-2 & 3

Electives:

- EMS in El Paso
- Hyperbaric and marine envenomations in Hawaii
- Rural EM in Alaska
- Wilderness medicine in Taos, NM

Ultrasound experience:

- PGY-1: one month dedicated rotation with minimum of 100 scans
- PGY-2: one month dedicated rotation with minimum 200 scans

Fellowship programs:

 Tactical Medicine Fellowship: training focuses on prehospital emergency care during high risk law enforcement operations, such as SWAT. In addition to weapons training, fellowship includes Peace Officer Training allowing fellows to participate in law enforcement operations as certified peace officer



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Level 1

Trauma designation



County Program



55,000 Patients per year

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